4.8 Ozone Profile Data (OPD)

EOSDIS Product Code: CERX11

The external ancillary data product, Ozone Profile Data (OPD), is input to the CERES Regrid Meteorological, Ozone, and Aerosol Data Subsystem. The OPD is the source of total column ozone data. Daily files for NCEP/Stratospheric Monitoring-Group Ozone Blended Analysis (SMOBA) data are the primary input data source. These data have a 2.5° latitude x 2.5° longitude equal-angle horizontal resolution on 24 vertical profile levels and total column values. As a backup source, daily data from Earth Probe-Total Ozone Mapping Spectrometer (EP-TOMS) may be used. These data have a 1.25° latitude x 1.25° longitude equal-angle horizontal resolution of *only* total column values. The Regrid Meteorological, Ozone, and Aerosol Data Subsystem interpolates these data temporally, horizontally and vertically to conform with CERES processing requirements. OPD file sizes are shown in Table 4.8-1.

Level: 3 Portion of Globe Covered

Type: Ancillary File: Global

Frequency: Daily Record: One region

Time Interval Covered Portion of Atmosphere Covered

File: Daily
File: 300hPa to TOA
Record: Daily

Table 4.8-1. OPD File Sizes

Source	Size (Daily)	
SMOBA	2.430 MB	
EP-TOMS	0.163 MB	

OPD Revision Record

The product Revision Record contains information pertaining to approved section changes. The table lists the date the Software Configuration Change Request (SCCR) was approved, the Release and Version Number, the SCCR number, a short description of the revision, and the revised sections. The authors are listed on the document cover.

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SCCR Approval Date	Release/ Version Number	SCCR Number	Description of Revision	Section(s) Affected
N/A	R3V1	N/A	Updated format to comply with standards.	All